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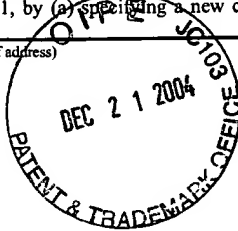
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09/713,163	11/14/2000	Allen D. Polowinczak	1247 P 179 12/23/2004 MWOLDGE2 00000082 09713163	3393
TITLE OF INVENTION: ACTUATOR FOR A TILT-LATCH FOR A SASH WINDOW			01 FC:1501	1400.00 OP

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### Inde Application of:

Allen D. Polowinczak and Vincent F. Eslick

Application No. 09/713,163

Confirmation No. 3393

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For: Actuator for a Tilt-Latch for a Sash Window

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